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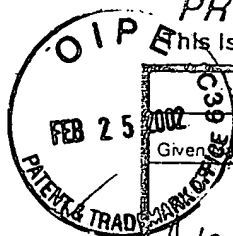
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## IN HOME / OFFICE TORNADO ALERT SYSTEM

This invention relates to In home/office tornado alert system. More specifically it relates to a tornado alert system which will alert homeowners/ office personnel of Tornado activity / sightings at the same time as the Civil Defense/Police Departments sound current siren alerts.

Tornados are the worlds most destructive and active weather related danger. They have caused extensive damage to property and person even taken lives. If you can notify people at all times , day or night , while at home sleeping or awake, you can give them just a few more precious minutes or even seconds, to seek shelter in the home or nearby shelters.

Various Tornado warning systems have been developed for detecting Tornados, I don't propose to make any attempt develop these any further, rather to improve the ability to alert person in the path of Tornados, to give them as much time to seek shelter from these Masters of Destruction.

### SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

It is the primary objective of this invention, to improve the current Tornado Alert Systems, by improving our ability to alert persons. Day or Night, at home as well as in the office/ business.

The technology for the alert system will allow a reliable alert system with message and alert tone capability.

The power source for the system will be provided by AC 120 V.or DC/AA battery backup.

The signal for the In Home/ Office System will be received by a built in high frequency radio receiver, which will pickup specific signals transmitted by the control unit at current siren capability as well as rural locations.

Each receiver will be programmed with a location address - numerical in nature. This address will allow specific receivers to be placed in homes and businesses in the same area to receive the alert messages and tones from their respective transmitting controllers .The receivers will all operate on the same frequency, but addresses all the receivers to disregard messages from overlapping controllers signals.

The receiver will have a microprocessor to provide the capability of tones ,messages, signals ,alert for low battery ,AC power failures etc.... It will also have the ability to do self checks and testing of its internal functions.

I have prepared a drawing of a community with present day siren alert towers, coverage and the coverage using the IN HOME/OFFICE TORNADO ALERT SYSTEM .Also I have attached a simple drawing of the in home unit and the controller.

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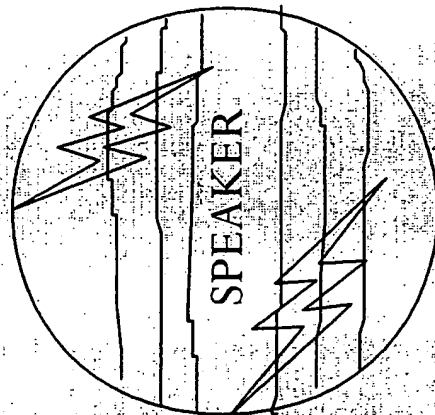
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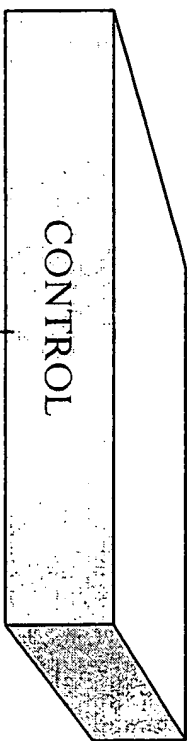
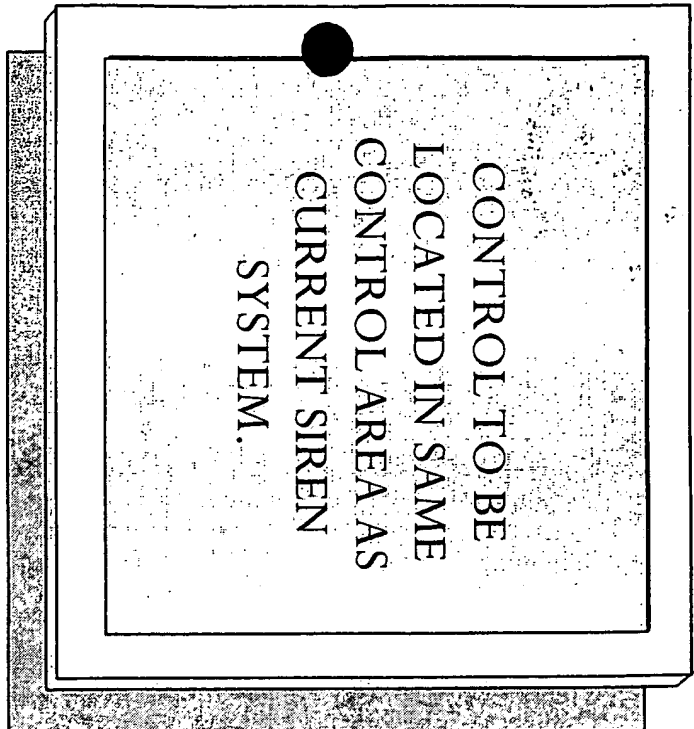
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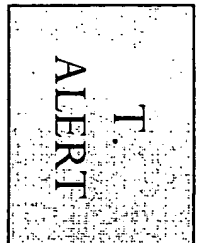
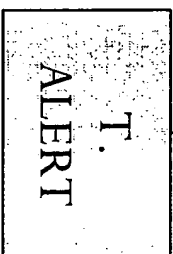
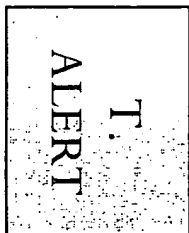
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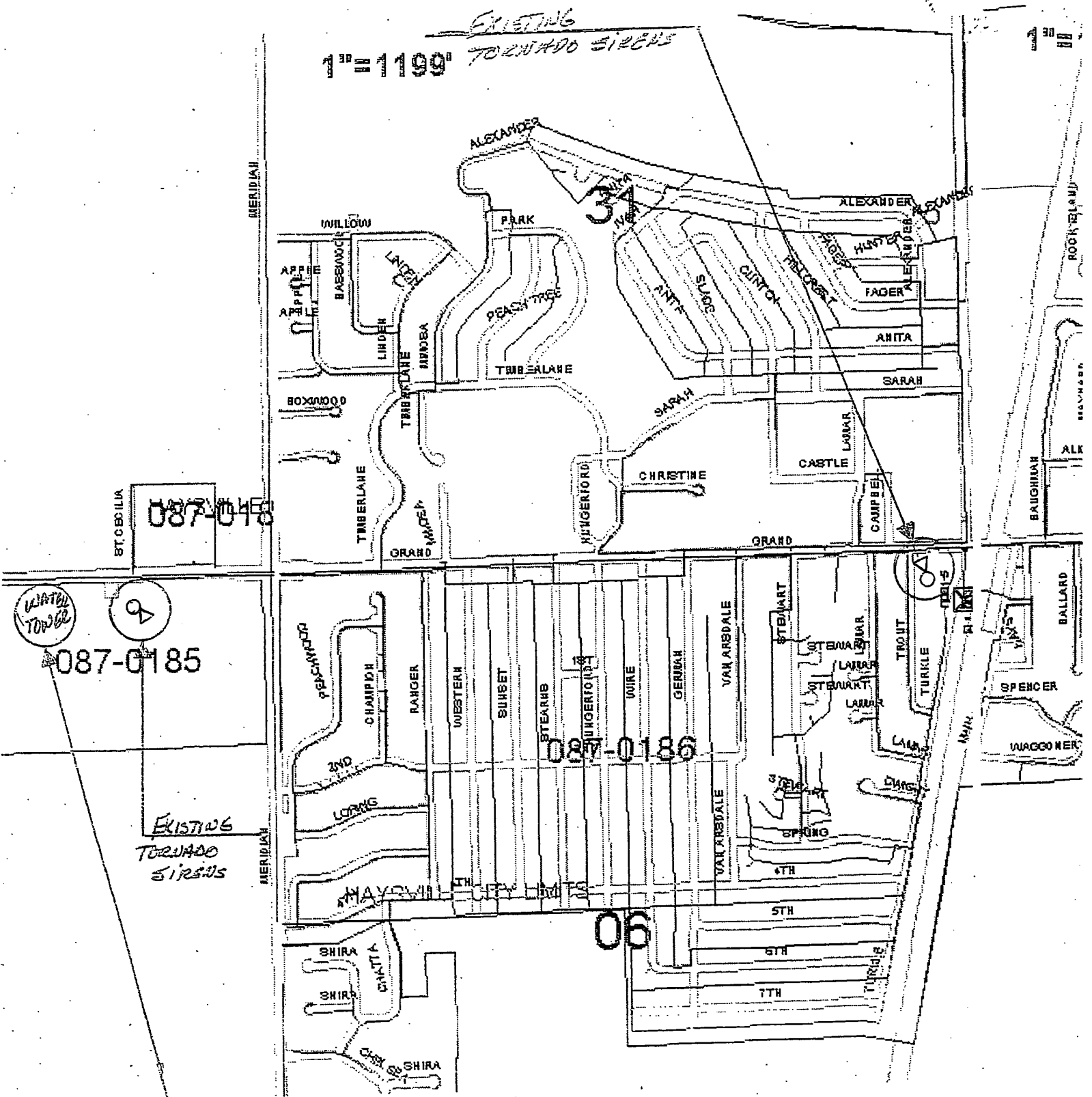


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for this  
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Home/Office Tornado Alert System  
 will be activated at same time as  
 sirens.  
 Sirens only cover the city and do not  
 always heard inside homes for in rural

EXISTING  
 1" = 1199' TORNADO SIRENS



TOWER ANTENNA LOCATION  
 For Home/Office Tornado  
 Alert System  
 Signal strength range - 12 watts to 25 watts  
 18-26 miles.

Left on street

